

## Proclamation Presented

## In Recognition of the 4th Annual Adopt-a-School Day

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Jaycees is a leadership development organization that utilizes community service projects as the training ground for applying leadership principles and skills learned in "Jaycee" individual development and training sessions; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Jaycees offers opportunities for individuals to discover their full potential; these opportunities include networking with various individuals; building confidence by taking on challenges and leadership roles; giving back to the local community through projects such as Adopt-a-School; and gaining skills to further your career and improve your life like project management, public speaking and event planning; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Jaycees supports various local organizations including the Honolulu Marathon, the Hilo County Fair, the 50th State Fair, the Miss Chinatown Hawaii and the Narcissus Queen Pageants, and the Cherry Blossom Festival and Pageant; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Jaycees' community service efforts have led to the establishment of the American Cancer Society in Hawai'i, Aloha Week and the Blood Bank of Honolulu; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Jaycees are the organizers of the Hawaii Adopt-A-School Day on October 9, 2011; each year the Jaycees, along with its great partners from Community Groups, the Business Community, Churches of different faiths and fellow concerned residents, put in a day's work to lend a hand to our educational institutions;

THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, BRIAN SCHATZ, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim October 9, 2011 as

## "HAWAII ADOPT-A-SCHOOL DAY"

in Hawai'i and urge the people of the Aloha State to support the Hawai'i Jaycees and its mission to beautifying our communities.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this eighteenth day of August, 2011.

NEIL ABERCROMBIE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

BRIAN SCHATZ

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i